



I-5/ORTEGA HIGHWAY INTERCHANGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Sunday, Dec. 7 - Saturday, Dec. 13, 2014

ORTEGA HIGHWAY TO OPEN

The reconfigured section of Ortega Highway from Del Obispo Street to El Camino Real is scheduled to reopen by Wednesday, Dec. 10.

The reopening will provide motorists direct access to San Juan Capistrano's historic downtown.



Workers on Friday paving Ortega Highway between Del Obispo Street and El Camino Real.

UPCOMING BRIDGE DEMOLITION

Demolition of the north side of the Ortega Highway bridge is scheduled to begin on Friday Dec. 12.

Ortega Highway will close at 11 p.m. Friday, Dec. 12. The freeway will close at midnight Friday, Dec. 12. Both roads will reopen at 6 a.m.

Demolition work will continue on Dec. 13. Ortega Highway will close at 11 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 13. The freeway will close at midnight Saturday, Dec. 13. Both roads will reopen at 6 a.m.

Motorists traveling north and south on I-5 will be diverted onto the Ortega Highway off-ramps and back onto I-5 via the Ortega Highway on-ramps.

Motorists who want to drive into San Juan Capistrano from I-5 must use Camino Capistrano or Junipero Serra Road exits. See the map below for complete detour information.

Regularly scheduled nighttime closure(s) from Sunday, Dec. 7 to Saturday, Dec. 13, include:

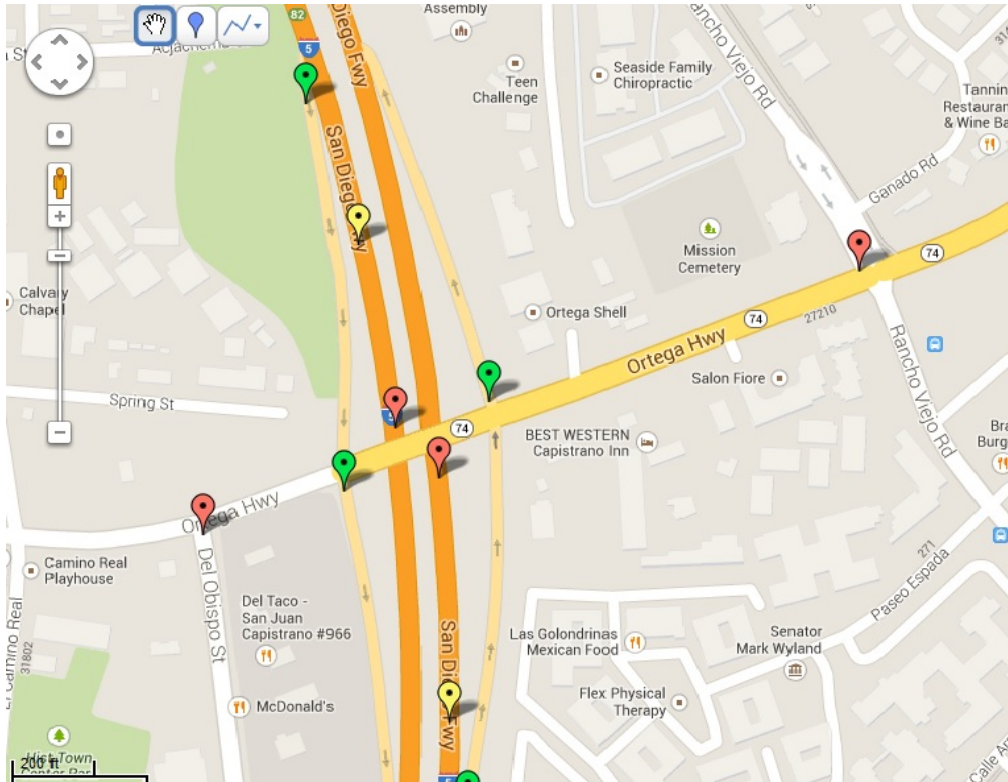
Ortega Highway Ramp Closures

- **Southbound I-5 on-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Southbound I-5 off-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Northbound I-5 on-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11: 59 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Northbound I-5 off-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.

I-5 Freeway & Ortega Highway Lane Reductions

- **Northbound I-5 between Camino Capistrano and Junipero Serra Road**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Southbound I-5 between Junipero Serra Road and Camino Capistrano**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Westbound Ortega Highway from Rancho Viejo Road to Del Obispo Street**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.

Click on the map below to see the full schedule of nightly closures and detours planned on the I-5 / Ortega Highway Interchange Improvement Project from Sunday, Dec. 7 to Saturday, Dec. 13, 2014.



[View Map](#)

DISCLAIMER: Please be advised, these dates and times are subject to change due to unforeseen operational factors or inclement weather.

NEIGHBORING PROJECTS

I-5 South County Improvement Project Avenida Pico to San Juan Creek Road

Construction is underway on the I-5 South County Improvement project. The 5.7-mile project will add a carpool lane in both directions on the I-5 freeway between Avenida Pico and San Juan Creek Road.

For additional information about the project, visit www.octa.net/I-5Pico and to view closure and detour information, [click here](#).

I-5 Ocean View Rehab Project

The Ocean View Rehab Project kicked off construction in October in San Diego County. The \$37.3 million project will replace the damaged concrete pavement slabs of the slow lane in each direction of the I-5 freeway between Oceanside and the San Diego / Orange County Line.

Motorists should expect delays during work hours and it is suggested that they check Caltrans Quick Map online at quickmap.dot.ca.gov for the latest freeway traffic information before leaving home. For additional information, please view the [project fact sheet](#).

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